
SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Thursday, March 18, 2021

TIME: 3:00 PM

PLACE: Virtual Meeting via WebEx

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Resolution No. [83](#)

BY Quezada, Lombardi, Cano, Goodwin, Pearson, Ciccone, Gallo, Euer

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND TO ADJUST PUBLIC HEALTH GUIDELINES THAT ARE HARMING RHODE ISLAND'S SMALL BUSINESS COMMUNITY {LC811/1}

01/26/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Commerce

03/12/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [206](#)

BY Sosnowski, Coyne, Seveney, Felag, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FISH AND WILDLIFE - COMMERCIAL FISHERIES {LC1098/1} (Permits dockside sale of fish by commercial fishing license holders.)

02/10/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Commerce

03/12/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [338](#)

BY Goldin, Pearson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- SALES AND USE

TAXES--ENFORCEMENT AND COLLECTION {LC2167/1} (Provides that any person who has a retail sales permit would not be required to pay a separate registration fee to make sales at flea markets; provided, however, the person would remain responsible to pay all taxes due as a result of sales at a flea mkt.)

02/25/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Commerce

03/12/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [344](#)

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL

LICENSES--SMALL BUSINESS--OMNIBUS {LC1220/1} (Omnibus act regarding caterers, hide and leather inspection, constables, sterilization of bedding, mixed-martial arts and pool halls.)

02/25/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Commerce

03/12/2021 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [347](#)

BY Bell, Lombardi, Seveney, Kallman, Mendes, Anderson, Calkin, Mack, Acosta, Quezada ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- COVID-19 PANDEMIC INSURANCE RECOVERY ACT {LC2143/1} (Allows businesses that had an insurance policy in place for business interruption as of March 9, 2019 to recover from their insurance companies for a COVID-19 business impact.)

02/25/2021 Introduced, referred to Senate Commerce

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The State House continues to be closed to the public at this time.

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TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL

Written testimony is encouraged and can be submitted to the committee by emailing it to: slegislation@rilegislature.gov

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 2:00 PM on Thursday, March 18, 2021, in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

Members of the public can request to provide verbal testimony to the committee through the following link: [VERBAL TESTIMONY](#)

***Requests to provide verbal testimony must be submitted by 4:00 PM on Wednesday, March 17, 2021.**

Senate Legislative Office

Committee Clerk

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